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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

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Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

- [X] Reply and Amendment Under 37 CFR 1.111 (9 pages).
- [X] Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR § 1.56 (2 pages).
- [X] Form PTO/SB/08 (1 page) with 4 listed references.
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[] Extension for response filed within the third month:	\$1,020.00	\$0.00	
[] Extension for response filed within the fourth month:	\$1,590.00	\$0.00	
[] Extension for response filed within the fifth month:	\$2,160.00	\$0.00	
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Please direct all correspondence to the undersigned attorney or agent at the address indicated below.

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REPLY AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR 1.111

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This communication is responsive to the Non-Final Office Action dated December 13, 2004 concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this document.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this document.

Please amend the application as follows: